

In the Specification:

Page 22, line 2 delete: "It is an object of the invention to provide an" and
substitute --An--.

Page 1 change the title to: --A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM INCLUDING
A DUAL PASSIVE ANTENNA CONFIGURATION--.

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 2, 4, 6 and 7 in the following manner:

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 ~~2~~. (Amended) An IC card device comprising:
2 a first antenna for obtaining electrical power by receiving an external
3 electromagnetic wave and rectifying;
4 a second antenna for transmitting and receiving data based on the
5 electric power, the second antenna being provided independent of said first antenna;
6 a ring oscillation circuit including a plurality of signal inverters,
7 wherein odd numbers of which are tandem connected in [the] a form of a ring; and
8 a constant-current circuit being set to a current value smaller than
9 electric-current ability for transistors involved in said signal inverter, said constant-
10 current circuit being connected in series to at least one of said transistors connected
11 supplied with a power source voltage or a reference voltage.--

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1 ~~4~~. (Amended) An communication system comprising:
2 an IC card incorporating therewithin a semiconductor integrated

3 circuit, at least one antenna so as to obtain electric power by receiving an external
4 electromagnetic wave and rectifying, the IC card transmitting and receiving data
5 based on the electric power, a ring oscillation circuit including a plurality of signal
6 inverters, wherein odd numbers of which are tandem connected in [the] a form of a
7 ring, and a constant-current circuit being set to a current value smaller than electric-
8 current ability for transistors involved in said signal inverter, said constant-current
9 circuit being connected in series to at least one of said transistors connected supplied
10 with a power source voltage or a reference voltage; and
11 a card gate apparatus having a first antenna for transmitting the
12 electromagnetic wave for the electromagnetic wave for electric power, and a second
13 antenna for transmitting and receiving [the] data, the second antenna being provided
14 independent of said first antenna.--

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1 --~~6~~ (Amended) A communication system according to claim³~~4~~,
2 wherein said second antenna is switched according to [the] uses for transmission and
3 reception of the data.--

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1 --~~7~~ (Amended) A communication system according to any one of
2 claims³~~4~~ to ⁵~~6~~, wherein said card gate apparatus transmits each electromagnetic wave
3 such that a [the] range of distance over which the electromagnetic wave for electric
4 power reaches is longer than that of the electromagnetic wave for transmission of the
5 data.--